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FM AMEMBASSY DOHA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC NIACT IMMEDIATE 2756
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INFO AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI IMMEDIATE
AMEMBASSY KUWAIT IMMEDIATE
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E.O. 11652: GDS TAGS: PINS, PINT, QA SUBJECT: FURTHER REPORT - HIGHJACKING OF GULF AIR AIRCRAFT (MESSAGE TWO)

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1. ACCORDING TO SOURCE, EMBASSY CONTACTED IN OFFICE LOCATED IN AIRPORT, HIGHJACKED AIRCRAFT WAS ON WAY FROM LONDON TO DUBAI/MUSCAT. AIRCRAFT WAS HIGHJACKED ENROUTE AND DENIED PERMISSION TO LAND BY UAE AUTHORITIES AND WAS DIVERTED TO DOHA BECAUSE OF INSUFFICIENT FUEL TO PROCEED TO ANY OTHER POINT. WE UNDERSTAND AIRCRAFT HAS NOT YET BEEN REFUELED AND IS LOCATED ON RUNWAY IN FRONT OF MILITARY TERMINAL BUILDING AND SURROUNDED BY MILITARY OR CONFIDENTIAL

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POLICE.

2. WE HAVE BEEN TOLD THAT FLIGHT NUMBER IS GF122, WHICH IS VC10.

FOR LONDON:

3. AS WE ARE UNABLE TO OBTAIN MANIFEST FOR GF122, YOUR ASSISTANCE

REQUESTED IN OBTAINING MANIFEST FOR THIS FLIGHT IN ORDER TO

DETERMINE IF ANY AMCITS ABOARD THIS IRCRAFT PAGANELLI

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